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<u>Attention Provider Types 60 (School Health Services) and 85 (Applied Behavior Analysis):</u>

Update Regarding Applied Behavior Analysis Procedure Codes

Effective with claims with dates of service on or after January 1, 2022, the following procedure codes may be billed only for recipients under age 21 and may be billed only by provider types 60 (School Health Services) and 85 (Applied Behavior Analysis). Claims for these procedure codes must be submitted with diagnosis code F84.0 (Autism Spectrum Disorder) or diagnosis code Q86.0 (Fetal alcohol syndrome). These procedure codes cannot be span dated; they must be billed line by line for each procedure.

Procedure Code	Description
97151	Behavior identification assessment, administered by a physician or other qualified healthcare professional
97152	Behavior identification-supporting assessment, administered by one technician under the direction of a physician or other qualified health care professional
0362T	Behavior identification supporting assessment
97153	Adaptive behavior treatment by protocol, administered by technician under the direction of a physician or other qualified health care professional, face-to-face with one patient
97155	Adaptive behavior treatment with protocol modification, administered by physician or other qualified health care professional, which may include simultaneous direction of technician, face-to-face with one patient
0373T	Adaptive behavior treatment by protocol with modification
97154	Group adaptive behavior treatment by protocol, administered by technician under the direction of a physician or other qualified health care professional, face-to-face with two or more patients
97158	Group adaptive behavior treatment with protocol modification, administered by physician or other qualified health care professional, face-to-face with multiple patients
97156	Family adaptive behavior treatment guidance, administered by physician or other qualified health care professional (with or without the patient present), face-to-face with guardian(s)/caregiver(s)
97157	Multiple-family group adaptive behavior treatment guidance, administered by physician or other qualified healthcare professional (without the patient present), face-to-face with multiple sets of guardian(s)/caregiver(s)

Reminder: Daily limitation of the above procedure codes per provider is 12 hours and weekly limitation per recipient is 40 hours.